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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Another year is nearly over and time goes by so fast. The New Year is on the horizon

I wish to thank the club for Dads plant you sent him in the hospital. He was very surprised and pleased. He is in rehab at the moment doing well.

Thank you to all that came to the Christmas party. I hope you had a good time. The food was great as usual.

The next event is the New Year's day dessert drive at Paradox Farm, not sure which house it will be at yet. Will keep you posted.

I wish all of you a Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to you and your families.

MERRY CHRISTMAS. Faith

NOTE from your newsletter editor: December's Newsletter is early since we will be out of town from 12/18/18-1/3/2019.

November had no events since we rescheduled the Picnic Basket auction/drive to December 1st, with our Christmas party on the 2nd.

I would appreciate it if someone could write up the New Year's Day event for the next newsletter (January, 2019) since we cannot attend.

Don't forget our General Meeting at the Sagebrush January 20th 2:00pm in the back room. We will be voting on Officers for 2019-2020 at this meeting. We have a slate of officers to present, but will accept nominations from the floor.

President Kathy Batchelor,
Vice President Bev Duval,
Secretary/Treasurer Tricia Hardy.
Permanent Directors Nancy Faller & Tommy Cope (who says he is on sabbatical!)
Directors Jeff Hardy, Woody Woodall, Marilyn Colvin & Pat Hauser
Past President Faith Bradshaw.

The calendar page of the website has been updated with tentative dates for next year.

Wishing a speedy recovery for Faith's father Bill Davis who is in Rowan Hospital and going to have a pacemaker put in on Tuesday Dec 4th. As of 12/5 Bill is recovering well and should be going to rehab in a day or so.



Congratulations to Darcy on her purchase of a fjord mare. Her name is Reiki and she's 10 years old and a Preliminary level competitor! Way to go Darcy!

PICNIC BASKET AUCTION/DRIVE

December 1st, 2018



Hoping to avoid predicted rain gates opened at 9:00am with the weather pretty decent. Tommy & Pat laid out a pretty intense cones course with LOTS of travel back & forth and go arounds to hit the gates with "red on the right"! I kept trying to do #2 & ^ in the wrong direction and had to go way out of the way to do them right!. We had 5 turnouts. The timer messed up on Nancy's run and she decided not to do a 2nd try, I am sure she beat me since I had to do corrections on the course. It looks like it was Antonio 1st, me 2nd, Pat 3rd then Woody. After the cones course Pat took us out on the trail, we didn't get very far before we felt drops of rain. Woody turned back but the rest of us continued on. It got pretty nippy when it started to rain. We unhitched then went in to the barn for the basket auction. The baskets were pretty fancy this year. We took in \$160.00 in auction sales.

I didn't get to tell you Pat, Thank you for hosting this event. Even with the drizzling rain it was still a lot of fun. Thank you again from me and the club.



CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 2nd, 2018

23 people attended the Christmas party at Faith's house. It was **supposed** to be 70 degrees and we would be out on the deck to eat, then it was raining so we were going to be in the carport, then it got COLD so we finally ended up in the very cozy house where there was a lot of socializing going on. All the food was fantastic (as usual). Dirty Santa was a hoot. Kathy & Laura seemed to be the lucky/unlucky ones who got to open quite a few gifts, since people kept "stealing" theirs! You might want (or not) to ask Jeff about his "moldy" Balls! Woody backed off "stealing" my Horse collar ornament when I decided to try to hide it, he didn't think Jeff would appreciate him looking for it!

SCHEDULE FOR 2018-19

Regardless of the event riders, visitors and spectators are ALWAYS welcome. Please come check us out.

Event Fees: Members \$15.00 per **Family**, if you have a family membership. Non-members \$20.00 per Turnout or Rider.

NOTE: If a food event your event fee covers you, if you are ONLY coming for the food the fee is \$5.00 per person. (Christmas Party & General

January 1st, 2019 New Year's Day Hours d Oeuvres & Dessert

January 20th 2019 General Meeting at the Sagebrush in Mocksville 2:00pm back room (It has been booked)

February 16th, 2019 Valentine Drive Faith to host

March 16th Either Tricia or Tommy to host an event
Also we are going to try to arrange a FREE Clinic
with the money raised at our Silent Auction at the
Picnic at Marilyn's this past July. We would like to
do this BEFORE the show season starts.

April 13th Either Tricia or Tommy (which ever works
best for Tommy, this month or next) to host an
event (Easter is April 21st)

May 18th Polly will host a Trivia Drive

June 15th our Breakfast Drive

July 20th Picnic at Marilyn & Jays (no horses)

August we might try to go to Blowing Rock again

September & October are open for suggestions

November ? Pat Hauser? Rivertrail Farm

December 1st Christmas Party/Dirty Santa (1st
Sunday of the month)

Jan 1st 2020 New Year's Day Hors d' Oeuvre Drive

Jan ??? 2020 General Meeting usually at the
Sagebrush in Mocksville 2:00pm Back room.

Whips & Wheels Driving Club Membership Application/Waiver

Membership will run from January 1st through December 31st.

Please print out form below & fill out then:

Make Checks payable to: Whips & Wheels Driving Club or WWDC Mail to: Tricia Hardy 547 John Crotts Road Mocksville, NC 27028

___ Family Membership full year \$25.00 (Family Membership 2 or more people up to 4. voting privileges 18 years or older)

___ Single Membership full year \$15.00 (1 person)

___ New After June 30th will be prorated: 1/2 year \$12.00 Family \$7.50 Single (remainder of the year.)

___ New & Renewing Memberships AFTER November 1st run through the following year.

Dues are due the first of January each year.



Total \$ Enclosed \$ _____ Please provide the following contact information For our Membership/Business directory

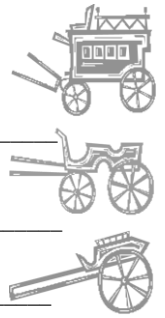
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Home Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Work or Cell Phone: _____ Date Received: _____ (Office Use)

Please read and sign the WAIVER below & send with your application: *Print a copy to keep*



1st Adult/Parent/Guardian _____

2nd Adult/Parent/Guardian _____

1st minor (under 18 years) _____

2nd minor (under 18 years) _____ Date: _____

Whips & Wheels Driving Club Equine Release, Waiver and Indemnification

The undersigned participant, and his or her parent or legal guardian if under the age of 18 years, does/do hereby execute this release waiver, and indemnification for himself/themselves and his or her/their heirs, successors, representatives and assigns and, thereby agree(s) and represents as follows:

To release Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this activity from any liability, loss, damage, costs, claims and/or causes of action, including but not limited to all bodily injuries and property damage arising out of participation in the activity, it being specifically understood that said activity includes the handling of equine by the undersigned participant. The undersigned person(s) further agree(s) to indemnify Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this project, and hold them harmless for any loss, damage, cost, claim judgment, or settlement which may be brought or entered against them as a result of the undersigned person's participation in said activity.

If involved in equine activities pursuant to NC Chapter 99E of NC General Statutes, the undersigned(s) executes(s) this waiver of the undersigned(s) right to sue and agree(s) to assume all risks resulting from the "intrinsic dangers of equine activities". "Intrinsic dangers of equine activities" is defined as those dangers or conditions that are an integral part of equine activities, including but not limited to: (i) the propensity of equines to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around them; (ii) the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement, and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; (iii) certain hazards such as surface and subsurface conditions; (iv) collisions with other animals or objects; and (vi) the potential of a participant acting in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within the participant's ability.

This waiver shall remain valid unless expressly revoked by the participant or Parent or guardian of a minor. The revocation shall be in writing, which shall be addressed to the provider and shall become effective thirty (30) days after delivery to the provider.

The undersigned(s) should maintain all medical and health insurance to cover all risks of any kind in any place in livestock, equine, and/or other activities.

I the undersigned participant will ensure equipment is in good condition at all times, wear and use all safety equipment. Minors (under the age of 18) MUST wear helmets and be accompanied by an experienced driver when in the carts/carriages.

WARNING: Under North Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina general statutes.

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